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1                   WITNESS: Could you repeat the question?

2                   Q         Before you pled guilty did you know what your  
3                   sentence was going to be?

4                   A         Yeah.

5                   Q         Okay. And what was that?

6                   MR. WHIGHAM: Objection, your Honor.

7                   THE COURT: Overruled.

8                   Q         All right, sir.

9                   A         30 years.

10                  Q         At that time when you pled guilty to 30 years  
11                  did you know you were looking at life in prison or the  
12                  electric chair for the charges you were charged with?

13                  MR. WHIGHAM: Your Honor, objection.

14                  THE COURT: Sustained.

15                  MR. WHIGHAM: And ask that it be stricken and  
16                  corrective instructions be --

17                  Q         (Interposing) At the time you pled guilty,  
18                  O'Neal, did you know what the maximum sentence was for the  
19                  crime you had been charged with?

20                  MR. WHIGHAM: Objection, your Honor.

21                  THE COURT: What is the basis?

22                  MR. WHIGHAM: You know, if he wants to tell  
23                  the jury about all the charges in the indictment, the  
24                  implication is that this charge was something  
25                  different than what he pled to or what this defendant